## E AND R AMENDMENTS TO LB 304

Introduced by Enrollment and Review Committee: McGill, 26, Chairperson

- 1 1. Strike the original sections and all amendments
- 2 thereto and insert the following new sections:
- 3 Section 1. Section 77-6102, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 4 Supplement, 2006, is amended to read:
- 5 77-6102 For purposes of the Long-Term Care Savings Plan
- 6 Act:
- 7 (1) Long-term care expense means the cost of long-term
- 8 care in a long-term care facility and the cost of care provided in
- 9 a person's home when the person receiving the care is unable to
- 10 perform multiple basic life functions independently;
- 11 (2) Long-term care insurance premiums means premiums
- 12 paid for a long-term care insurance policy issued pursuant to
- 13 the Long-Term Care Insurance Act that offers coverage to the
- 14 individual, er the individual's spouse, or another person for whom
- 15 the taxpayer has an insurable interest;
- 16 (3) Participant means an individual who has entered
- 17 into a participation agreement or established an account with
- 18 a financial institution with which the State Treasurer has an
- 19 agreement under subsection (1) of section 77-6103; and
- 20 (4) Qualified individual means (a) a person who turned
- 21 sixty-five years of age or older during the taxable year who has
- 22 a medical necessity for long-term care during the taxable year,
- 23 (b) a disabled person who has a medical necessity for long-term

- 1 care incurred long-term care expenses during the taxable year, or
- 2 (e) or (b) a person who turned sixty-two fifty years of age or
- 3 older during the taxable year who made payments for long-term care
- 4 insurance premiums during the taxable year.
- 5 Sec. 2. Section 77-6105, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 6 Supplement, 2006, is amended to read:
- 7 77-6105 A qualified individual as defined in subdivision
- 8 (4)(a)  $\frac{1}{2}$  of section 77-6102 may make withdrawals as a
- 9 participant in the Nebraska long-term care savings plan to pay
- 10 or reimburse long-term care expenses. A qualified individual as
- 11 defined in subdivision (4)(c) (4)(b) of section 77-6102 may make
- 12 withdrawals to pay or reimburse long-term care insurance premiums.
- 13 Any participant who is not a qualified individual or who makes
- 14 a withdrawal for any reason other than transfer of funds to a
- 15 spouse, long-term care expenses, long-term care insurance premiums,
- 16 or death of the participant shall be subject to a ten-percent
- 17 penalty on the amount withdrawn. The State Treasurer shall collect
- 18 the penalty.
- 19 Sec. 3. Original sections 77-6102 and 77-6105, Revised
- 20 Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006, are repealed.
- 21 2. On page 1, strike lines 2 through 4 and insert "to
- 22 amend sections 77-6102 and 77-6105, Revised Statutes Cumulative
- 23 Supplement, 2006; to redefine terms; to change provisions relating
- 24 to authorized withdrawals; to harmonize provisions; and to repeal
- 25 the original sections.".